

RACIAL PROFILING DATA/2001

Agency: Manchester Police Dept.

Population: 14,558

age 16 and over

KEY INDICATORS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Stops	4560	4256	187	18	93		
Searches	142	121	18	2	0		
Arrests	144	124	17	2	0		
Statewide population %	N/A	85.24	10.25	1.85	1.17	0.41	1.08
Local population %	N/A	91.32	2.40	1.36	4.03		
Disparity index	N/A	1.02	1.71	0.29	0.51		
Search rate	3.11	2.84	9.63	11.11	0.00		
Contraband hit rate	22.54	23.97	16.67	0.00	#Error		
Arrest rate	3.16	2.91	9.09	11.11	0.00		

Notes: Population figures are from the 2000 Census for persons 16 years of age and older who designated a single race. Hispanics may be of any race. Other includes persons of mixed race and unknown race.

Disparity index = (proportion of stops / proportion of population). A value of 1 represents no disparity; values greater than 1 indicate over-representation, values less than 1 indicate under-representation.

Search rate = (searches / stops) X 100.

Contraband hit rate = (searches with contraband found / total searches) X 100.

Arrest rate = (arrests / stops) X 100.

#Error indicates zero denominator.

TRAFFIC STOP STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Violation leading to stop	Moving	3762	3551	123	15	68		
	Equipment	392	352	27	3	10		
	License	568	497	47	4	19		
Stop outcome	Citation	4188	3920	156	18	89		
	Warning	392	355	32	0	4		
Location of stop	Interstate hwy	0	0	0	0	0		
	US hwy	0	0	0	0	0		
	State hwy	2229	2065	109	7	46		
	County road	928	872	36	5	15		
	City street	1396	1313	41	6	32		
	Other	7	6	1	0	0		
Driver gender	Male	2999	2789	133	15	58		
	Female	1561	1467	54	3	35		
Driver age	17 and under	522	507	8	2	5		
	18-29	2034	1902	89	10	31		
	30-39	901	829	37	1	30		
	40 and over	1103	1018	53	5	27		

SEARCH STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Probable cause/ authority to search	Consent	13	11	1	1	0		
	Inventory	62	50	10	2	0		
	Drug/alcohol odor	36	34	1	1	0		
	Incident to arrest	125	105	181	2	0		
	Plain view contraband	8	7	1	0	0		
	Reasonable suspicion-weapon	0	0	0	0	0		
	Drug-dog alert	2	0	1	0	0		
	Other	3	2	1	0	0		
What searched	Driver	141	120	18	2	0		
	Car/property	141	120	18	2	0		
Search duration	0-15 minutes	134	114	17	2	0		
	16-30 minutes	8	7	1	0	0		
	31+ minutes	1	1	0	0	0		
Contra-band found	Drugs/alcohol	27	24	3	0	0		
	Currency	1	0	1	0	0		
	Weapon	4	3	1	0	0		
	Stolen property	1	1	0	0	0		
	Other	3	3	0	0	0		
Arrest charge	Outstanding warrant	52	36	14	1	0		
	Drug violation	21	17	4	0	0		
	Resist arrest	1	1	0	0	0		
	Offense against person	1	1	0	0	0		
	DWI/BAC	47	44	2	1	0		
	Property offense	1	1	0	0	0		
	Other	49	39	7	2	0		

Agency response

I will reiterate in part our response from last year that any disparity in numbers are attributable in large measure to state highways running through our community, i.e., highways 141 and 100. In fact, the data indicate that just under 50% of all traffic stops were on the state highways. Black motorists made up 58% of all traffic stops on state highways. Incidentally, with the completion of 141 running through Manchester, the number of vehicles traveling the highway may be approximately 150,000, up from 50,000 from last year. Only four of 187 black motorists cited, or 2%, were residents of the city of Manchester.